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DENOUNCES FALSEHOOD

Morrow Shows Where He and the cost is to be \$26,500, half Got Campaign Funds.

Not One Dollar Furnished By Anyone Connected With Liquor.

Somerset, Ky., July 24 .- Hon Edwin P. Morrow, candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor upon being interviewed concerning a statement made by Mayor Buschemeyer, of Louisville, which appeared in the Evening Post of July 23 regarding the race for Governor, said

"My attention has been called to the statement of Mayor Buschemeyer in which he has seen fit to use the following language: "There is no contest in the Republican party. E. P. Morrow, the choice of a Republican brewer at Newport, and a Republican distiller at Owensboro, has that nomination secure, thanks to the support of a well financed campaign committee, whose affairs were managed by Phil W. Grinstead, late of the American School Company, a most adroit politician.

Has No Committee.

"I have had no campaign committee. I have no campaign headquarters save the law office in the town where I live. My campaign fund has been so pitifully small that I am ashamed to state its amount when I realize the tremendous expenditures of money which has been and is now being made by Democratic candidates.

The total of all contributions to my campaign fund from every source has been the tremendous sum of eight hundred and ten dollars. This sum came from the following sources of which I am not ashamed but very proud, because, small as it is, it represents the affection of those who have known me best thruout my

Where Money Came From.

"From my brother, W. B. Morrow brother, schoolmates and personal dred and fifty dollars, the largest get above high water and straightencontribution being twenty five dol- ing the road at one point. lars; from schoolmates and personal friends in Danville and Lexington, regardless of party, two hundred and sixty dollars.

pended for postage, telephone, tele- Creek, of dropsy. He had been an graph and advertising. My travel- invalid for thirty years, caused by ing expenses I have borne myself. a horse falling upon him. His fatal Not a single penny has been given illness lasted about six weeks. or used for me either directly or in- was a son of Robert E. and Amanda Robert Vaughn Put in Charge of County Chairman Kirk Addresses who is well known there. directly by any person connected Barnett, both of whom have been with the distilling or brewer inter- dead many years. He was 64 years est. Phil Grinstead has neither di- of age. connected in anyway with the dis- place there. tilling busines.

How Campaign Was Managed.

men, my personal friends, who with- official. Peace to his ashes. out pay have helped to prepare for the mails the few letters which I

was able to send out. certain by the overwhelming and spontaneous sentiment coming from hausting efforts of two speeches in the rank and file of the Republican an afternoon, H. V. McChesney arand Progressive parties, without regard to any business or interest un-

bribed and unbought. "While it is huminiating to me to be compelled to state the meagerness of my campaign fund, yet to me it is a source of the deepest satisfaction that when the nomination of to crowd their way into the circuit my party comes to me, my outstretch- | court room to hear. Many had to ed hand shall be clean to take and hold it, and my heart will be glad introduced by Hon. M. D. Holifield. only against officials for alleged misbecause my conscience will be clear.'

State Aid Road.

Owensboro, Ky., July 26 .- Beginning at Thruston and going four and seventy-six hundredth miles almost to Yelvington, Martin & Martin, contractors of Evansville, Ind., began work this morning on the first Stateaid road in Western Kentucky. The 114

contract, let by the Daviess Fiscal Court several days ago, was approved by the State Road Commissioner. The road is to be ten-foot macadam and is to be constructed under the supervision of an engineer from the State Road Department. There will be three large steel bridges erected to be paid by the State. The road is known as the Owensboro-Hawesville road, and is the first inter-county seat roadway to be constructed.

U. S. To Take Definite Step to Settle Trouble in Mexico.

Washington, July 26 .- A definite step toward a settlement of the Mexican problem will be taken by the United States in the near future. Definite announcement to this effect was made today by the state department, through the nature of the contemplated action has not yet been disclosed. President Wilson is understood to be revolving several suggested courses in his mind. His decision will not be known until his return to Washington.

His most probable course, it was reported tonight, would be to urge Carranza for the last time to confer with the other factions relative to peace. Should Carranza again refuse, it is said an effort may be made to assemble the other Mexican leaders who will represent a majority of the people. The convention would arrange for a constitutonal convention which would arrange for the erection of a government which the United States would recognize and help maintain.

Pike Contract Let.

Bids were opened Tuesday by the Ohio County Fiscal Court for the construction of 24 miles of pike on the Hartford and Centertown road. There were four bids, but Smith & Crahan, of Breckenridge county, were found to have the lowest bid. After some changes in their bid which materially reduced the cost, the court acepted the bid and entered into contract with them. The amount to be expended will be \$17,000. A new bridge across Muddy creek is also pro vided for, the present one being declared unsafe by the engineer representing the State. The State pays one-half of the entire sum to be expended. This line will eventually be the connecting road with Greenville in the inter-county seat program mapped out by the State and this section is probably the most costly part friends in Pulaski county, two hun- of it, because of necessary levying to

Death of E. P. Barnett.

Elijah P. Barnett died Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the home of RECEIVER IS APPOINTED

rectly or indirectly had anything The funeral services were conductwhatever to do with the management 'ed at Alexander grave yard by Rev. of my campaign or the financing of R. D. Bennett Monday morning at 10 the same, nor has any other person o'clock, after which the burial took

Mr. Barnett was highly educat-"My campaign has been managed ture before him as a young man when in my absence by my brother, W. B. the accident mentioned overtook him, Morrow, with the assistance of the blasting all his plans in life. He was regular stenographer in my office, Mr surveyor of Ohio county one term Otis Waddle, assisted by two young and gave splendid satisfaction as an

Starts Tour of Graves.

Mayfield, Ky., July 27.-Fresh "My nomination has been made from an ovation in Murray that evidently made him superior to the exto Democracy with the same responsive spirit. A crowd that an average Saturday night could not duplicate, gathered in the county seat of Graves, and some 800 people tried and ouster. turn away for lack of room He was

Tomorrow McChesney will tour the county, making four speeches during the day.

For Sale. Three registered Birkshire Boar Pigs. Apply to

APPLE GROVE FARM, F. W. Pirtle & Son, Props, Hartford, Ky. R 1.



OTTO C. MARTIN

Hartford, Kentucky, July 30, 1915.

To the Republicans of Ohio County: I would be glad to meet all of you between now and the primary elecion, August 7th, but in that short time it will be impossible for me to do to Butler county after rema... so. I take this method of submitting finally my claims for the Republican nomination for Circuit Court Clerk.

I feel that I am well qualified for this position, having had considerable experience in the courts and know well the duties that would be required of your Circuit Court Clerk, and if nominated and elected to this high of- the age of 15 she united with the flax was loaded for Belfast. fice I assure you I will use all means within my power to discharge the du- baptist church at Cool Springs unties of the office in such a way and manner as to meet with the approval of der the ministry of Rev. Jas Austin the people of this county; that during the term of office you will have no reason to regret having supported me for this position.

I am a Republican and have used all honorable means to secure the election of the Republican ticket in national, state and county elections. My ried to Thomas Maddox Jr, son of they notified the American consul at people are all Republicans and have always supported the nominees of our Thomas and Delilia Maddox, in May party and used their influence to secure the election of our candidates. It 1890, no children being born to their should be nominated for this office I will make an active canvass of the union. She leaves 3 brothers, B. F. county between now and the regular election in November, and use all Adkins of the McHenry Lumber and honorable means to secure my election and the election of our ticket this Implement Co., Ralph and a half

I was born and reared on a farm and my sympathy has always been with and for the farmers and laboring class.

Thanking each and every one of you who have given me your support and influence in this campaign and trusting that I will receive it on August ville, Ky., and Mrs. Shelva Spolling 7th, I beg to assure you that I have nothing but the kindest feelings for of Waddox, Shelby county. who are supporting my worthy nated would have my loyal support.

Again thanking you for your support and influence and hoping that I may have a continuance of same, I beg to remain,

Yours Very Respectfully. OTTO C. MARTIN.

URGES REPUBLICANS FOR NASHVILLE **VOTE IN PRIMARY**

Affairs of Tennessee

Capital.

Nashville, Tenn., July 27.-Chancellor Allison today appointed Robert Vaughn, a master in chancery. ed and seemingly had a bright fu- receiver for the city of Nashville. At noon Judge Matthews, in the Circuit Court, in response to proceedings un- interested and do our best to make revolver under the pillow of his bed. der Tennessee's new "ouster law." suspended from office Mayor Hilary E. Howse and Commissioners Robert the Republicans of Kentucky, it is bed, but he objected, saying that Elliott and Lile Andrews. Andrews recently was dismissed

by the City Commission. He and Controller Miles Burns, Treasurer W. H. West are under indictment in connection with the disappearance of certain books and records from the office of Controller. West's whererived here last night and found May- abouts is unknown. An audit and field ready to welcome his message survey of the city's books is being sions as nominees for their respective conducted as a result of various charges of bad management and irregularities. Out of the charges developed petitions for receivership

It is said that the city's credit and financial standing are not involved, the movement being directed conduct.

Fair For Ohio County.

The Ohio County Fair Company has decided to give a three days fair at Hartford this year. The date will be Sept. 16, 17 and 18.

Special atractions are being arlarger and better than over.

Appeal to Party Men.

Hartford, Ky., July 30, 1915

County: in the primary will be a long step and a thief might enter. toward success in November.

law, and have received their commis- covery. offices. They are now fullfledged candidates for election and are high- had a fever of 104. He had been ly qualified for the positions which delirious most of Monday and tothey seek. Among them are our fellow townsmen, C. E. Smith for Commonwealth's Attorney, C. M. Barnett for Railroad Commissioner; also Mr. R. W. Slack, of Owensboro, for Circuit Judge of this district, and Thomas B. Gregor for Atorney General. The nomination of Hon. E. P. Morrow for Governor seems absolutely assured, and that of R. P. Green for State Superintendant of Public instruction is a certainty, all of his opposition having withdrawn.

This will be our opportunity to seranged and the premium list will be lect one of the strongest state tickets. we have ever had to vote for in No- 5214

It is earnestly hoped that every Republican voter will interest him-

self in this Primary and do his full duty on August 7.

vember. We have a good list of

candidates to choose from.

Yours Very Respectfully, A. D. KIRK, Chairman Republican Ex. Com.

Death of Dr. Elgin. Dr. W. R. Elgin died in New Orleans Monday morning. His brother

Mr. Virgil C. Elgin was notified by telephone and left at once for Hopkinsville, the home of his father, Rev. Virgil Elgin, where the interment took place. Rev Elgin was four years pastor

of Hartford Methodist church and has a host of friends here who are in deep sympathy with the family in their sad bereavement.

Later-It is learned that Dr. Elgin fell through an open window, ackilled instantly.

Death of "Aunt Gabe" Maddox. Gabe R. Maddox, wife of our townsman J. T. Maddox Jr., died on Monday July 19th at 5 o'clock of kidney trouble and brights disease of which she had suffered since early in 1914.

ly called by both old and young was the second daughter of W. I. and Nancy Ann Adkins both now deceased. She was born in Greenville Ky., on April 1st 1857, thereby mak- to Russia by way of Gothenburg. ing her 58 years, three months, and The vessel was detained at Kirkwall 18 days old.

When quite old her parents moved here some few years they bought and moved to a farm near Cool Springs church where they lived until called to the other shore. At ton was discharged and a cargo of where she remained a constant and beyond a message stating that the faithful member until she was called to the great beyond. She was marfour sisters, Mrs. Artha Adkins Smith, Mrs. Laura Maddox of this county and Janie Adkins of Green-

Cool Springs church, Rev. Hiram Brown preaching the funeral after which the remains were laid to rest in the Cemetary adjoining, among appeared. a large crowd of friends and rela-

Peace to her ashes.

Walter M. Wright Suicides. Tuesday's Louisville Times has the following account of the suicide of Mr. Walter M. Wright, who married Miss Daisy Stevens, daughter of

Mr. Oscar Stevens, Beaver Dam, and

Two months ago Walter M. Wright forty-four years of age, a widelyknown traveling salesman for a New York firm, purchased a revolver to protect his home against further visits of thieves after considerable jew-To the Republican voters of Ohio elry had been stolen from the residence, 708 Rubel avenue, Several As our Primary Election ap days ago he discussed with his wife proaches I feel that we ought to get the horror of suicide. He kept the a good strong showing for our party. When he was taken ill Mrs. Wright If there was ever a year important to sought tor emove the pistol from the this one, and to make a good showing they slept with the windows open

This afternoon, while delirious, he We have several good strong can-placed the muzzle of the revolver to didates for State and District offices his right temple and pulled the trigwho, by reason of the fact that they ger. The bullet plowed through have no opponents, are already nom- his brain and came out of the left inated under our Primary Election temple. There is no hope for his re-

Mr. Wright had not been well for a month or more and for five days day. Mrs. Wright left his sick room to crack ice for his head. She heard a noise, sounding as if someone had fallen. It was the muffled terday afternoon . He was billed to pistol shot. Her husband was in bed, blood flowing from the wound court bouse but the crowd was so bed, blood flowing from the wound court bouse but the crowd was so bed, blood flowing from the wound court bouse but the crowd was so in his head. She hurriedly summoned Drs. L. W. and Oscar Bloch. Later-Mr. Wright died Tuesday

night. One good work mule. Call or ad-

> E. C. GORMAN, Beaver Dam, Ky.

ANSWERS NOTE

Sends Another American Vessel to Ocean Bottom.

President Wilson Has no Comment to Make on Sinking of Leelaraw.

London, July 26 .- Only meager accounts of the sinking of the steamer Leelanaw have reached here, but it is clear ample warning was given cidently from a third story and was the crew, they even being given time to collect part of their effects.

London, July 26 .- The American steamship Leelanaw, from Archangel July 8, for Belfast with a cargo of flax, was sunk Sunday by a German submarine off the northwest coast of Scotland. All the members "Aunt Gabe" as she was familiar- of the crew of the Leelanaw were saved. They were brought into Kinkwall in their own boats.

The steamer left New York May 17, with a cargo of cotton consigned while inquiries were made as to the possibility of getting her cargo to Russia, as Sweden forbids the export of cotton. The ship was released June 26, with permission to proceed to Archangel, where the cot-

No details of the torpedoing of the Leclanaw have been received crew had been safely landed at Kirkwall, Scotland, from which place Dundee of the sinking of the vessel.

A dispatch from Kirkwall to the Central News Agency says that after the members of the crew left the Leelanaw about a dozen shots were brother Wm. of Greenville, Ky., and fired at the steamer. They failed to sink her, however, and she was ultimately sent to the bottom by a torpedo.

The members of the crew were taken aboard the submarine, the disatch adds, and were well treated. When in sight of the Orkney Islands the men were ordered to return to their boats and the submarine dis-

The Leelanaw was owned by the Harby Steamship company, of New York. She was formerly called the Earnwell. She was 280 feet long and of 1,924 gross tons. She left Galveston May 5 and New York May 17 with a cargo of cotton for Archangel. Early in June she was detained by the British authorities at Kirkwall. This action was taken because her cargo, although destined for Russia, was consigned by way of Gothenburg, Sweden, which country forbids the export of cotton. Having discharged her cargo at Archangel. it is evident that the Leelanaw was returning from Archangel when she was sunk.

McCreary For McDermott.

Frankfort, Ky., July 28-The political stock of E. J. McDermott today took a big jump when Gov. Mc-Creary declared for him. "I am going to vote for Mr. McDermott for the Democratic nomination for Governor," said Gov. McCreary, when he was asked today if he had made up his mind whom he would support. Supporters of McDermott here are jubilant tonight. They say that Mc-Dermott is gaining so fast that Gov. McCreary could not stay out of the band wagon any longer.

Three Thousand People.

Murray, Ky., July 27 .- The biggest crowd ever assembled here at a political speaking greeted H. V. McChesney, when he spoke here yesspeak in the big Calloway county side and went to the court house steps, where he addressed over 3,-000 people that had gathered in front of the building and clamored for him

to speak to them outside. McChesney's friends since the ovation he received are estimating his majority in this county at more than